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Over One Hundred Thousand Voluntary and Grateful Letters tell of cures of diseases of all kinds by America's Greatest Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Four sample letters from thousands of testimonials, with a recent indorse

"MOTHER'S LOVE LASTS THE LONGEST."

Blood Poisoning, Caused by Impure Vaccine, Eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla After Given Up by Specialists.

REMARKABLE CASE OF JOSEPH HARPER.

Mr. James Harper and his wife were both born in the borough of Old Hill, near Dudley, Staffordshire, England, and are widely known in that section. While living on Lawrence Lane, at the above-mentioned address, Mr. Harper was employed as heater in the New British Iron Company's works. The family is now residing in Trenton, N. J., where they enjoy the confidence and respect of a wide circle of friends. Mr. Harper is now connected with the famous John A. Roebling & Sons' Rolling Mill. The following letter full of gratitude tells its own story.

LETTER NO. 1.

"THE BOY IS NOW STRONG AND HEALTHY."

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 25, 1895.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Gentlemen—There is a continual joy in our home because of what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for our son Joseph. We are as sure that Hood's Sarsaparilla saved his life as that the sun shines.

My wife and I and our three boys left Staffordshire, England, to come to America. On board the ship they were vaccinated. As a result, Joseph, the second boy, had a very sore arm, so bad at one time that we were afraid it would have to be taken off. At length it seemed to get well, but about two months after he began to complain of soreness in the vaccinated arm.

He had occasionally shown some signs of scrofula. His arm grew worse and became swollen and covered with sores. The inflammation and sores spread all over his body, and he was a mass of corruption, pitiable to behold, a misery to himself and almost breaking our hearts with anguish. No one could bear to care for and attend to him but his mother. Truly, mother's love lasts the longest. Many a time did I wish he was dead and out of misery. The moaning and crying of the poor child was heartrending, and his mother spent hours in tears of sympathy.

The eruption was especially severe back of his ears and all over his head and the lower part of his face. We had to cut off all his hair we could, as it was impossible to comb through the mass of hard crust and matter. Physicians said it was a blood disease caused by impure vaccination, but did him no good. The sores were actually eating into his ears so that we were afraid they would come off, and the holes and scars are visible even now.

When medical skill seemed exhausted we took the boy to the Eye and Ear Hospital. There happened to be two physicians, specialists, there besides the regular doctor. The three examined Joseph, and said nothing could be done for

him, that he should be taken to the hospital in Chambersburg. But his mother did not want to have the child, even in his pitiable condition, taken away from her.

The night before he was to go to the hospital I read in a paper about your medicine, and I said: "We will try Hood's Sarsaparilla before we do anything else."

We followed the directions faithfully, and while taking the first bottle, Joseph did not grow any worse; on the second, we noticed that he was improving, and slowly, but surely, the medicine drove away the disease.

The improvement continued steady until at the end of the year the disease had entirely disappeared, and Joseph stood a strong and healthy boy. His food, which formerly seemed to do him no good, now properly nourished and sustained his body, so that he has grown fat and strong; is at school and progressing rapidly in his studies.

We and the neighbors regard his cure a perfect miracle. He is as healthy and free from scrofula as it is possible to be. We are so rejoiced to have him with us so well and strong, that we cannot praise Hood's Sarsaparilla enough."

—JAMES HARPER, residence 233 Adeline street.

LETTER NO. 2—A year later.

IS FRESH, RUDDY AND IN PERFECT HEALTH."

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 1, 1896.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sirs—I tell everywhere I go the merits of Hood's Sarsaparilla and what it did for my boy, as stated in my testimonial published some time ago. People accost me on the street and say: 'What a fine young man your boy is!' I say, 'Yes, Hood's Sarsaparilla certainly saved his life.' Why, gentlemen, you would think he was a young farmer from the country; he is fresh and ruddy looking. He has grown fast and is in perfect health. What a change from a few years ago. We still continue with Hood's Sarsaparilla from time to time and would not be without it."—JAMES HARPER.

LETTER NO. 3 STILL PRAISING HOOD'S.

Messrs. C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.:

Gentlemen—We are still using Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family, and feel that it cannot be praised too highly. The remarkable cure it effected in the case of our son Joseph won our everlasting gratitude, and we deem it a pleasure to recommend the medicine to our friends. Yours very respectfully, JAMES HARPER, 233 Adeline St.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 3, 1899.

HEMORRHAGES AND ULCERS

Of Years' Standing Permanently Cured Through the Blood by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

IS STILL IN GOOD HEALTH—THREE INTERESTING LETTERS.

In a pleasant and comfortable home in the prosperous town of Cortland, N. Y., just south of Syracuse, resides Mr. W. S. Huntley, a well-known builder, with his mother and sister, Miss Lettie Huntley, who was marvellously cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla a number of years since, as stated below. Any one seeing Miss Huntley to-day would never think that she had been a sick woman, for she is the picture of health.

Her three letters, varying six years in date, are as follows:

LETTER NO. 3—AFTER TEN YEARS OF GOOD HEALTH.

Cortland, N. Y., Feb. 8, 1899.

C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Friends—I want to write you this Spring to say that I am still in good health. In fact, as well as usual since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla years ago. My testimonial you can use as you please, as I know I was cured, and am glad to speak a word in praise of Hood's whenever I have an opportunity. Very truly yours,

MISS LETTIE HUNTLEY, 26 Garfield Street.

LETTER NO. 1.

CURED FOUR YEARS BEFORE SHE WROTE.

Cortland, N. Y., Jan. 6, 1892.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Gentlemen: Twelve years ago I was taken with frequent hemorrhages, extending over six or seven months, averaging daily in amount from a spoonful to a cupful. I never fully recovered, and had occasional attacks, varying in intensity for several years.

A little more than four years ago I had a severe attack and was so reduced that my doctor frankly told me there was no hope for medical science had exhausted its resources and could do no more; that it was only a question of a few days ere death would close the scene.

I bade my friends goodbye and prepared for that last great change, to which I was fully resigned, for it seemed to afford the only relief to my fearful suffering. I was badly bloated, and could not be moved for a moment from my bed. Under my face were kept fresh napkins, that were continually reddened with the blood that flowed from my mouth. I could eat nothing and had no action of the bowels for a week. The doctors at first thought I had a cancer, but finally decided it was ulcers in the stomach.

At this time, when I was the sickest, my mother said she wanted to make one more trial, and asked if I would take some of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I had no faith in it, but finding that it would comfort her, I began taking it. In a few days the bloating began to subside, and I seemed to feel a little stronger, but thought it only fancy.

I was so weak I could only take ten drops at first. In two weeks I was able to sit up a few minutes every day. In a month I could walk across the room. One day I asked what they were to have for dinner and told them I wanted something hearty. My mother was so happy she cried. It was the first time I had felt hungry for over two years.

I kept on with Hood's Sarsaparilla, and at the end of six months was as well as I ever was in my life. It is now four years since I recovered, and I have not had a

day's sickness since nor any hemorrhage. If ever a human being thanked the good Lord on bended knees it was I. I assert, knowing it to be a fact, that Hood's Sarsaparilla, and that alone, unquestionably saved my life."

—LETTIE HUNTLEY, 26 Garfield St.

"WORTHY THE HIGHEST CONFIDENCE."

"We are acquainted with Miss Lettie Huntley, and can testify that whatever she says is worthy the highest confidence. Hood's Sarsaparilla enjoys a great reputation here and sells freely."—SAWYER & JENNINGS, Chemists and Druggists, Cortland, N. Y.

LETTER NO. 2.

TWO YEARS LATER—SHE HAS BEEN IN GOOD HEALTH EVER SINCE CURED BY HOOD'S.

Cortland, N. Y., April 29, 1895.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Gentlemen: I have received many inquiries concerning my testimonial as published some time since, telling of my cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have taken great satisfaction in writing to all that my statement as published was perfectly true.

It gives me great delight to say, further that I have continued in good health ever since my cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla. When I reflect upon what I went through, how near death I was, and how miraculously I was saved by Hood's Sarsaparilla, it does seem almost beyond belief. But I know that I have said nothing but the absolute truth, and I take pleasure in recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla whenever I can, for I want all to know its real merit.

My mother, who is past 80 years of age, has had the grip several times and was left very weak. Hood's Sarsaparilla has always helped her the most of anything she has ever taken. She is taking it this Spring. We keep a supply on hand at all times. It is a pleasure to me to speak of the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla and I never tire of telling how it saved me from the grave. I shall ever be its friend. MISS LETTIE HUNTLEY.

These thousands of vivid word pictures of recovery are as realistic and VERILY, IT IS NOT WHAT WE SAY, BUT WHAT HO

Hood's is the scientific specific of the century for all blood troubles of whatever nature (and these are the foundation of nine-tenths of all diseases), as it meets and vanquishes them all. The reason is that it arrests the cause, whether inherited or acquired. It Cures Just the Same in either Case. Its potency in purifying the blood is well known, as Hood's brings to many thousands of weak, suffering mortals an invigorating force, with a capacity for exertion, both physically and mentally. It is America's Greatest Medicine.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Never Disappoints

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail, cures the worst cases of blood disease, such as troubles—dyspepsia, indigestion, canker in the stomach, etc., etc.—Neutralizes acidity of the blood and cures promptly cures catarrh. By the purification of the blood the nerves become steady and the whole frame invigorated.

NOTE---If our argument and proof have convinced you why not try it to-day? Insist upon Hood's and

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